IN THE SPECIFICATION:

1. Please amend Paragraph [0015] of the Specification published in Patent Application Publication No. US 2002/0006044 A1 (corresponding to Page 2, Line 32 to Page 3, Line 14 of the patent application as filed) as follows:

In the claims and in the description of this invention, "a LED associated with a color filter" is to be taken to mean that said LED is matched to the relevant color filter in such a manner that the spectral emission of the relevant LED corresponds substantially with the spectral maximum of the relevant color filter. In general, the color filter comprises three color filters, each of which passes a different color, i.e. a blue, a green and a red color filter. In the example wherein the light source comprises LEDs having three different light-emission wavelengths, the light source generally includes blue, green and red LEDs. In this case, "associated with" means that the spectral emission of the blue LED is substantially adapted to the "transmission" spectrum of the blue color filter, the spectral emission of the green LED is substantially adapted to the (transmission) spectrum of the green color filter, and the spectral emission of the red LED is substantially adapted to the (transmission) spectrum of the red color filter. If the light source is composed of LEDs having four different light-emission wavelengths, the light source generally comprises blue, bluish (green), amber and red LEDs. In this case, "associated with" means that the spectral emission of the blue LED is substantially adapted to the (transmission) spectrum of the blue color filter, while the emission spectra of the (bluish) green, amber and red LEDs are selected such that the three of them are adapted to the (transmission) spectra of the green and the red color filter.

2. Please amend Paragraph [0063] of the Specification published in Patent Application Publication No. US 2002/0006044 A1 (corresponding to Page 11, Lines 16-25 of the patent application as filed) as follows:

FIG. 1B is a diagrammatic, cross-sectional view of an embodiment of the assembly in accordance with the invention. The illumination system comprises a light-emitting panel 11 of a light-transmitting material, which is made from, for example, a synthetic resin, acryl, polycarbonate, PMMA, such as Perspex, or glass. Under the influence of total internal reflection, light is transported, in operation, through panel 11. The panel 11 has a front wall 12 and a rear wall 13 opposite said front wall. Between the front wall 12 and the rear wall 13, there are edge areas 14, 15. In the example shown in FIG. [[1A]] 1B, the edge area referenced 14 is light-transmitting, a light source 16 being associated with said edge area. This light source 16 comprises a plurality of LEDs of different colors 16B, 16G, 16R (see FIG.1A; in FIG. 1B only one LED is shown).

3. Please amend Paragraph [0065] of the Specification published in Patent Application Publication No. US 2002/0006044 A1 (corresponding to Page 12, Lines 5-9 of the patent application as filed) as follows:

Coupling means for coupling out light are provided on a surface 18 of the rear wall 13 of the light-emitting panel 11. These coupling means serve as a secondary light source. A specific optical system may be associated with this secondary light source, which optical system is provided, for example, on the front wall 12 (not shown in ~~FIG.2~~ FIG.1B). The optical system may be used, for example, to form a broad light beam.